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Women Helping Women Succeed

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Network of Executive Women addresses the common business interests and issues of women in executive, professional and entrepreneurial roles through the exchange of ideas, information, and experience.

From the President~

December 2007

Thanksgiving week is behind us and the Holiday Season is in full swing—can you believe it? We've survived Black Friday (and Saturday) and Cyber Monday 2007 is also past tense. Before we know it—it'll be next year!!!

My advice: pace yourself, everything in moderation, keep your exercise program going, have fun and be grateful. Speaking of gratefulness, I received an email thing today that had a suggestion about adding the following address to your list of Christmas or Holiday Greetings recipients:

A Recovering American Soldier
C/o Walter Reed Army Medical Center
6900 Georgia Ave. NW
Washington D.C. 20307-5001

It makes me feel good that notes of thanks that extend beyond family and friends will go out during the hectic holiday season to those that have made such enormous sacrifices for all of us.

For anyone that missed GNO 2007—it was an event to be remembered and emulated in the future. One aspect of it that I was especially happy to see was the strong committee structure that came together to create a successful, and really just plain fun evening. I think we had the best showing ever of member participation and support. Thanks to everyone that attended, sold tickets, to our vendors, auction and raffle donors, and of course hats off to Michele Kelly!

Next Tuesday, December 4th is our Holiday Luncheon, and our annual collection of unwrapped gifts for residents of Milford's three nursing homes. Unfortunately I won't be able to be there (it's our annual trade association meeting), but I'm glad to know this tradition is continuing. We also have some fun networking plans ready to test out, so do plan to be there if you can.

Finally, my personal best wishes to all of you for a happy, healthy holiday season surrounded by family and friends, good memories and great thoughts for the future.

*Cheers!
Joanne*



Luncheon
Meeting

December 4, 2007

Aldario's • 12:15 PM

Speaker: Carole Mon
Corporate Storyteller

E.S.P. – Experience, Story, Presentation

A well-told story makes your presentation engaging and memorable. But where can you find the right story? Carol Mon, Corporate Storyteller, will share her secrets for turning personal experiences into stories that strengthen your presentations (from formal to informal such as networking). Anecdotes are powerful because they are personal and easy to tell and remember. Carol will share ideas on how to find appropriate anecdotes and how to develop them into stories.

\$17.00 per member if your registration is received before 5 PM, Friday, November 30, 2007.

Late registrations, non-members (guests), and walk-ins are welcome at the cost of \$22.

(Please have check written out before coming to meeting. If you are paying cash, please have the exact amount. Thank you.)

Members with e-mail: Please RSVP to our website: www.networkofexecutivewomen.net

or e-mail: NEW_since1979@yahoo.com

No e-mail: call Mary Jo Romano at 257-9208



Weather Alert!

In the event of severe weather conditions, meeting cancellations will be announced via e-mail.

December Holiday Luncheon

At our December luncheon we will once again be collecting gifts for those who live in assisted living facilities and who may not be as fortunate as we are. The facilities we will be gifting are Golden Hill Health Center, West River Health Care Center, and Milford Health Care Center. Below are the items requested. Please bring your unwrapped gifts to our Network luncheon on December 4th.

Clothing

Pajamas (men/women)
Sweat pants (men)
Tube socks
T-shirts (men)
Gripper socks
Gloves and scarves



Aftershave/cologne
Quality shampoo and conditioner
Baby powder
Perfumes
Make-up bags and small purses

Miscellaneous

Comforters
Books on tape
Large print books
Afghans
Any questions? Call Ann Anderson.
Let's do what we can to help others
have happy holidays!

Ann Anderson

Sunshine News

If you know of a happy or sad event in a member's life and feel that the Network should acknowledge it, please send the information to our Sunshine Chair Wanda Carlson. You can e-mail her at wanda@wandacarlson.com. Please reference sunshine in the subject line.



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Bio for Carol Mon

This engaging program is provided by Carol Mon, a Corporate Storyteller. She has told stories to a wide variety of audiences from elementary school children to senior citizens and business persons of all kinds in between. Carol also worked for 13 years at a major Hartford insurance company, 8 years as the Payroll Manager. Her unique background now enables her to help organizations such as Pfizer, US Coast Guard Academy, and the National Association of Insurance Women to improve communication skills through more persuasive stories. For these organizations and others she provides keynote presentations and workshops on using stories to effectively communicate a message.

Need a nametag?

Contact Virginia Allen
(ginnieallen@aol.com or 203-795-0305) and give her your Name, Company Name and Title. She will have it ready for the next meeting.

2007-08 Directories Have Arrived

The newest Network Directories will be available at our luncheon meeting on December 4. Members can pick up their copy at that time.

Next luncheon -December 4
Register Today!
Bring a Holiday gift for a
senior!